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DIARY NOTES

ADD/A [REDACTED]

16 June 1953

25X1A 1. [REDACTED] I met with General Cabell and obtained his concurrence in a requisition to replenish stockpiles used by [REDACTED] amounting to approximately \$2,000,000. The original requisition was about \$9,000,000. We were able to effect this reduction because (a) we had about \$5,000,000 of the items in stock and (b) we thought that there was an excess of actual requirements amounting to \$2,000,000. (Mr. Dulles approved of this procurement on 17 June 1953.)

25X1A 2. Arranged for [REDACTED] Printing and Reproduction Division, to go to the Hill and see Mr. Harrison, Joint Committee on Printing, to show him certain statistics on workloads and overtime which may be adequate justification to purchase a new Webendorfer Press. I have told Mr. Harrison that I would be guided by his advice as to whether or not an additional press was needed.

25X1A 3. Met with [REDACTED] Logistics Office, to discuss our approach to the Department of Defense in connection with formalizing our stockpiling agreements. In brief, the Department of Defense and CIA have agreed that the Department of Defense is responsible for hot war supplies effective on "D" Day. However, no firm estimate of the number of troops to be supplied has ever been agreed upon. In view of our recent planning, General Cabell asked me to carry the ball and get this firm-
25X1A ed up. The PM Staff will prepare a brief paper of previous agreements and we will then go over and talk to the JSPD about this matter.

25X1A 4. Shef telephoned to request that air conditioning equipment be installed in his [REDACTED] Office. I told him that I would be glad to discuss this with [REDACTED] but doubted very seriously if we could find any way to do it.

25X1A 5. Met with General Cabell and Mr. Kirkpatrick to discuss a DD/I request for the employment of [REDACTED] as a consultant. Have furnished General Cabell with our written comments pointing out certain alternatives which could be used.

25X1A 6. Matt Baird telephoned to say that a Training regulation had been sent to him for coordination with an urgent request from [REDACTED] to the effect that he wanted to get it approved before [REDACTED] 25X1A
Matt said that there were a number of policy questions which he thought should be decided and he did not want to sign off on it. I told him that I had not seen the regulation and that if he felt it deserved further discussion he should, by all means, take the time to insure that one took place.

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